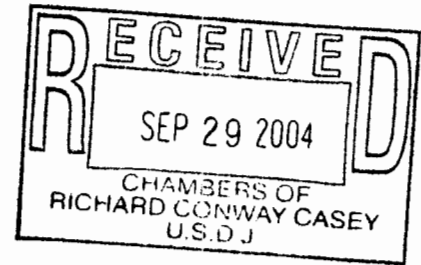


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VIA HAND DELIVERY

Honorable Richard Conway Casey
United States District Court
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United States Courthouse
500 Pearl Street
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Re: MDL 1570 (RCC)
Service by Publication

Dear Judge Casey:

To follow up on the discussions held at the status conference held on September 13, 2004, on behalf of certain additional commercial plaintiffs and the PEC, I write to ask the Court's permission to allow all parties in MDL 1570 to join the publication Order entered by the Court on September 15, 2004. We believe it is appropriate for all consolidated cases (subject to an agreement on cost sharing) to be allowed to join into the Publication Order in that the Order applies to Defendants that we have been unable to serve despite our best efforts. For reasons of judicial economy and efficient case management, we seek leave of Court for the September 15th Order on publication to apply to all cases in MDL 1570. Attached is a listing of the consolidated cases for which this would apply.

We request your Honor's endorsement of this request.

Respectfully submitted,

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Application granted

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Commercial Cases

World Trade Center Properties, LLC, et al. v. Al Baraka Investment and Development Corporation, et al., Case No. 04-CV-7280 (S.D.N.Y.)

Euro Brokers, Inc. v. Al Baraka Investment & Development Corp., 04-CV-07279 (S.D.N.Y.).

Pacific Employers Insurance Co., et al. v. Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, et al., Case No. 04-CV-7216 (S.D.N.Y.)

Vigilant Insurance Co., et al. v. Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, et al., Case No. 03-CV-8591 (S.D.N.Y.)

Cantor Fitzgerald Associates, LP v. Akida Investment Co., Ltd., Case No. 04-CV-7065 (S.D.N.Y.)

Continental Casualty Co., et al. v. Al Qaeda Islamic Army, et al., Case No. 04-CV-05970-UA (S.D.N.Y.)

New York Marine and General Insurance Co. v. Al Qaida, et al., Case No. 04-CV-6105 (S.D.N.Y.)

Personal Injury/Wrongful Death Cases

Irving Morrison v. Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, et al., Case No. 04-CV-07210-LDC (S.D.N.Y.)

Estate of John P. O'Neill, Sr., on behalf of John P. O'Neill, Sr., deceased, and on behalf of decedent's heirs-at-law, et al. v. Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, et al., Case No. 04-CV-1922 (S.D.N.Y.)

Estate of John P. O'Neill, Sr., on behalf of John P. O'Neill, Sr., deceased, and on behalf of decedent's heirs-at-law, et al. v. Al Baraka Investment and Development Corp., et al., Case No. 04-CV-1923 (S.D.N.Y.)